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FOR UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE ROBINSON

E.O. 11652: N.A.

TAGS: ENRG, FR

SUBJECT: INTERVIEW WITH LE FIGARO

1. ALAIN VERNAY, CHIEF ECONOMIC WRITER FOR LE FIGARO AND ONE OF FRANCE'S LEADING JOURNALISTS, HAS REQUESTED AN INTERVIEW WITH YOU WHILE YOU ARE IN PARIS FOR THE ENERGY PREPCON.

2. WE HAVE GENERALLY HAD A GOOD PRESS IN LE FIGARO AND IT HAS OCCASIONALLY MADE ITS COLUMNS AVAILABLE TO US FOR STATEMENTS OF THE U.S. POSITION ON CURRENT INTERNATIONAL ISSUES. AN INTERVIEW WITH VERNAY WOULD PROVIDE AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO BRING U.S. THINKING ON THE OBJECTIVES OF THE INTERNATIONAL ENERGY PROGRAM AND THE DEVELOPING PRODUCER-CONSUMER DIALOGUE BEFORE AN INFLUENTIAL FRENCH READERSHIP AS WELL AS OTHER SUBJECTS OF CURRENT INTEREST. CONSEQUENTLY WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU GRANT VERNAY'S REQUEST. VERNAY SPEAKS EXCELLENT ENGLISH  
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